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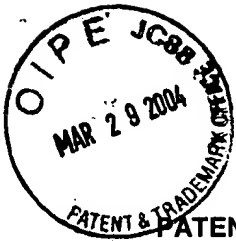
SIR:

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.



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Enclosed is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.111 in the above-identified application.

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Respectfully,

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